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FOR : Safe botanical drug for treating malignant pleural effusion and cancer and increasing immune function

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AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patent and Trademarks

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to Office Action dated 07/30/2003, please amend the above identified application as follows.

IN THE CAIMS

Cancelled claims 44-53 without prejudice and rewritten as follows.

54. A drug comprising a polysaccharide of Dang Gui containing soybean-liposomes (DGL) and Lan Xiang Xi containing soybean-liposomes (LXL) which is used for treatment and prevention of cancer and malignant pleural effusion, and enhancement immune function.
55. The drug of claim 54, wherein said polysaccharide of Dang Gui (PDG) is extracted from Dang Gui which has Latin genus-species name: Radix Angelica sinensis.
56. The drug of claim 54 wherein said Lan Xiang Xi (LX) is extracted from said Dryohalanops aromatica Gaerin or Wen E Shu which has Latin genus-species name: Curcuma aromatica Salisb.
57. The drug of claim 54 wherein said the effective dosage is about 20-40mg of DGL and LXI.
58. The drug of claim 54 wherein said liposome, which contains hydrogenated phosphatidyl choline (PC), phophatidyl glycerol (PG), and phosphatidyl serine (PS), is extracted from soybean.